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REFERENCE TO: Mission 1051-1, <u>INDICATIONS OF FOXBAT PRODUCTION</u>
GORKTY AIRFRAME PLANT ORDZHONIKIDZE 21, USSR

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

INDICATIONS OF SERIES PRODUCTION OF FOXBAT

OBSERVED AT GORKIY AIRFRAME PLANT 21. THE

FOXBAT IS ONE OF THE NEWEST AND MOST ADVANCED

SOVIET FIGHTERS AND HAS BEEN ASSESSED TO

PERFORM AS AN INTERCEPTOR, A RECONNAISSANCE

VEHICLE AND AS A STRIKE AIRCRAFT.

2. LOCATION:

WEST EDGE OF GORKIY AND ADJACENT TO GORKIY/
SORMOVO AIRFIELD WHICH SERVES AS THE PLANT
FLYAWAY AND TEST AIRFIELD.

REMARKS:

THIS PLANT IS THE MIKOYAN DESIGN BUREAU
PILOT PLANT FOR NEW MIG AIRCRAFT. GENERALLY,
INITIAL SERIES PRODUCTION OF NEW AIRCRAFT
HAS TAKEN PLACE AT THIS PLANT. PLANT 12
CURRENTLY PRODUCES FISHBED AND IS PROBABLY
PHASING THIS AIRCRAFT OUT IN FAVOR OF FOXBAT.

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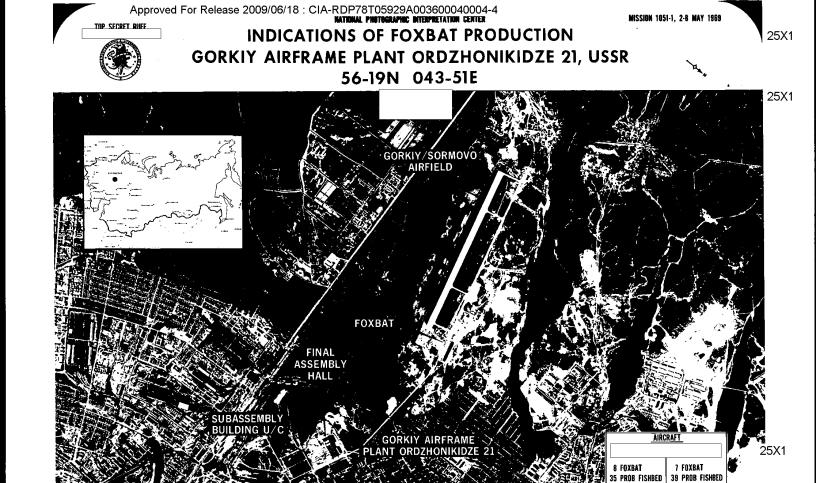
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5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION:	
6. NEGATION DATE:	NONE
7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE:	30 KH-4, 11 KH-7
8. <u>DIMENSIONS/</u>	
SPECIFICATIONS:	NONE
9. MISSION READOUT:	CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES ON THE LARGE SUB-
ASSEMBLY BUILDING ADJAC	ENT TO THE FINAL ASSEMBLY HALL WHICH WAS OBSERVE
COMPLETE ON	
NO AIRCRAFT ARE OBS	ERVED IN THE PLANT AREA. HOWEVER, EIGHT FOXBAT
ARE OBSERVED AT GORKIY/	SORMOVO AIRFIELD AND SEVEN FOXBAT
ARE OBSERVED	. THE PRESENCE OF THIS NUMBER OF FOXBAT,
THE LARGEST COUNT OBSER	VED AT THE TEST AND FLYAWAY FIELD TO DATE,
COUPLED WITH THE RECENT	COMPLETION OF THE LARGE FINAL ASSEMBLY HALL
COULD INDICATE THAT SER	IES PRODUCTION OF THE FOXBAT HAS STARTED.
AIRCRAFT 71 - 8 FOXB	AT, 35 PROBABLE FISHBED, 1 CAT/CUB, 1 CRATE,
AND 1 CAB.	
83 & 87 - 7 FOXBAT, 39	PROBABLE FISHBED, 1 CRATE, AND 2 CAB.
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35 PROB FISHBED 1 CAT/CUB

1 CRATE 2 CAB

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